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## PACIFIC COAST HIGHWAY (SR-1) SLIDE AREA CONSTRUCTION UPDATE

**Los Angeles County** – Construction is imminent on a project to grade the cliff above Pacific Coast Highway (State Route 1) between Topanga Canyon Boulevard and Coastline Drive. California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) currently is moving heavy equipment to the site, which must then be assembled.

The grading project is necessary because a large fissure has formed on the cliff, creating a high potential for a landslide. Because of risks to motorists, the two northbound lanes have been closed, with one lane available in each direction. Once construction begins, Caltrans will look into the feasibility of re-striping the highway to allow for two lanes in each direction. Parking on Route 1 will be restricted in the construction area.

The cliff-grading project will take approximately two weeks to complete. Work will be performed between the hours of 6 a.m. until 6 p.m. Monday through Saturday. Some night work may be necessary.

Residents can expect noise and vibration from equipment. Motorists are advised to expect delays. Caltrans apologizes for these unavoidable inconveniences during construction.

For additional information or assistance, please contact the Caltrans Public Affairs Office from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday at (213) 897-3693 or (213) 897-3656.



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